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Inventor(s) : Naoki Yamaguchi, et al.  
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**Amendment**

SIR:

In response to the Final Office Action dated August 23, 2007, Applicants submit herewith a petition for a one-month extension of time extending the period for response to December 23, 2007. Additionally, please amend the above-identified application as follows: